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### REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant respectfully requests a three month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for responding to the Office Action mailed on May 5, 2004 in the above-captioned application. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the time for response be extended up to and including November 5, 2004.

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Appln. No. 09/477,422 Notice of Appeal dated November 5, 2004 Reply to Final Rejection dated May 5, 2004

From-HUNTON WILLIAMS

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Respectfully submitted,

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